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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Paul C. Stout of Chatham, who passed away on May 3, 2012; and

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WHEREAS, He was born February 15, 1922; his parents were Frank Lewis Stout and Katherine Bellinger Edwards; he graduated from Ball Township High School in 1939 and from the University of Illinois College of Agriculture in 1943 with a B.S. degree; and

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WHEREAS, He served 3 years as Ball Township Trustee and was a member for 4 years of the first Soybean Promotion Board, which was the first check-off program in Illinois; he served as a member of the Producers Livestock Commission Board at the Springfield stockyards, and was a member of the committee that helped write the first zoning laws for Sangamon County; and

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WHEREAS, He served on the Sangamon County Farm Bureau board for 3 years as president and was on the Ball Chatham school board for 7 years, during which time Glenwood High School was built; he was a member of First United Methodist Church in Springfield for 57 years, serving in many capacities before transferring to Sugar Creek Methodist Church in Chatham in 2003; and

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1           WHEREAS, He was secretary-treasurer of the Philemon Stout  
2 Cemetery Association for 50 years; he was also a member of the  
3 University of Illinois President's Council and held season  
4 football and basketball tickets for over 40 years; on April 29,  
5 2012, he was inducted into the Glenwood High School Hall of  
6 Fame, where he was selected in the Lifetime Recognition  
7 category; he gave a brief address on the history of the school  
8 district during his induction; and

9           WHEREAS, He was preceded in death by his wife, Carol; and

10           WHEREAS, Paul Stout is survived by his daughter, Dorothy  
11 Jean Culver (Tom); his son, Richard Paul Stout (Ellen); his  
12 brother, James Stout (Patricia); his sister, Jean Stout Chase  
13 (Ted); his granddaughters, Beth Foster (Aaron), Christina  
14 Culver (fiance, Mike), and Emily Stout; his step-daughters,  
15 Susan Moore (Mike) and Nancy Teates (Cory); his stepson,  
16 Michael Bramlet; his great-grandson; 5 step-grandchildren; 7  
17 step-great-grandchildren; and Marcella Poludniak, his special  
18 friend of many years; therefore, be it

19           RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL  
20 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with  
21 his family and friends, the passing of Paul Stout; and be it  
22 further

1           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
2 presented to the family of Paul Stout as a symbol of our  
3 sincere sympathy.